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Lacoste Laconics.

George Schuehle spent several days of last week with relatives at Hondo. Mrs. Val. Mangold and children of Noonan stopped over here one evening and paid us a short visit while on their return home from Castroville.

Mr. Otto Etter was a passenger to Hondo Wednesday.

Adolph Pingenot of Castroville boarded the train here Thursday for San Antonio on business.

Henry Mangold and son, Howard, of Noonan were here on business Friday last.

Miss Meda Boehme was a pleasant caller in Castroville the latter part of the week.

Those who boarded the train here Saturday morning for San Antonio to attend Ringling Bros.' Show were as follows: Mesdames Charles, Adolph, Oscar and Wm. Hitzfelder, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Mangold, C. E. McVay and family, J. U. Blackwell and wife, Miss Ruby Blackwell, Messrs. Oscar Mangold, Jac. Rihn, Paul Christilles, Hy. Kaufmann, Frank Jungmann, Adolph Reymann and sons, Arthur and Albert, Oscar and Josie Kaufmann, Eddie Grossenbacher and Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Grossenbacher.

Miss Alma Bippert returned from a week's stay with friends and relatives in San Antonio.

Mrs. Chas. Moeller Sr. is reported very ill at present. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Theresa Mangold and daughter, Miss Regina, were pleasant callers at Castroville Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Reymann, Miss Linä Reymann and brother, Emil, of Macdona, spent Sunday afternoon with friends here.

Fred Ford of Comfort was here Sunday on a visit to friends.

And. Mechler and family of the Sauz visited Mrs. Theresa Mangold Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mollie Zerr left for her home at D'Hanis after a two weeks stay with Mrs. Ferdie Koch.

Eugene Jungmann and family of Potranco attended services at church here Sunday.

Mr. E. F. Hilliard made a business trip to San Antonio Saturday evening, also on Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Salzmann attended the marriage of their son, Joe, to Miss Della Mann at Pearsall Tuesday. The young couple will make their home at Noonan, bearing with them many congratulations and best wishes from their many friends here.

Frank Keller and family, Miss Ida Conrad, Mrs. Mat Jungmann and Mrs. Otto Jungmann autored to San Antonio Monday on business and pleasure.

Gus. Tripp made his usual trip to Rio Potranco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Armin Boehme left for a few days visit in the mountains.

Messrs. F. R. Dickey, Geo. Schuehle, and E. F. Hilliard autored to San Antonio this morning on business and pleasure.

In a hotly contested baseball game Sunday afternoon between the Lacoste Seniors and the Shookville team, the Seniors administered a crushing defeat to the visitors, and when the dust finally cleared away, the scoreboard registered a 1 to 0 victory for the home boys. This was the most interesting game played here this season. Keep it up boys and you will soon have a nine that can't be beat.

What is the matter with the D'Hanis team? It looks as if it were taking a good rest until the next season.

The same day the Champions, the famous Tschirhart nine, went to Macdona and crossed bats with the Black Hill Team, and the Champions won the game, the score being 14 to 17 in favor of the Champions.

Mr. Paul Tschirhart is visiting friends at Dilley for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vonflie of Castroville and Lee Bush and family of this place attended the Salzmann-Mann nuptials at Pearsall Tuesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Iltis at Idlewild, a sweet little baby boy, on Monday, Sept. 29, 1913. Mother and babe are well and daddy is all smiles.

Miss Nellie Casey left this morning for her home at St. Louis, Mo., after a few months with friends here and at Castroville.

Miss Marguerite Krause has returned to her home in San Antonio after a week's visit here.

Miss Mary Zuercher left for Hondo Tuesday on a lengthy visit.

Mr. Chas. Halty and family visited the dam Sunday.

Joe Zuercher was a business caller at Hondo Tuesday, returning the same day.

Gus. and Emil Moeller of San Antonio were here between trains Tuesday to visit their sick mother, also Miss

ose Moeller and Mrs. L. C. Fischer.

An enjoyable birthday party was tendered to Miss Della Kaufmann at her home at Idlewild Sunday night. Dancing was enjoyed by young and old until a late hour. The Biediger & Bippert orchestra furnished the music. At midnight delicious refreshments were served in the beautifully decorated dining room. At 2:30 the sweet strains of "Home Sweet Home" were played which sent all to their homes, wishing Miss Della many more happy returns of the day.

Misses Lina and Clara Loessberg and brother, Paul, visited the big dam Sunday. They informed the writer that they noticed Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vonflie and Mrs. H. F. Haass of Castroville at the dam.

Miss Martha Bippert returned from Biry after a lengthy stay with her sister, Mrs. Joe Franger, who, we are sorry to hear, is very ill, and was taken to San Antonio for medical attention. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Had a fine rain here this afternoon which was of great benefit to everybody.

Lacoste, Texas, Sept. 30, 1913.

Women's Missionary Society.

The Women's Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. J. W. Miller Monday afternoon, Sept. 29th, sixteen members being present.

Scripture reading from 1st Peter, 2nd chapter, was read by the President, followed with prayer by Mrs. Fred.

Reports were heard from the various officers.

Mrs. E. G. Garwood gave a report of her visit to Sabinal. The meeting she attended there was a Union Missionary Rally and was participated in by the Methodist, Baptist, Christian and Presbyterian churches of that place. An unusually good program was carried out, at the close of which delicious refreshments were served. An enjoyable time was had by all present.

Nov. 20th was the date set for the bazaar to be held at this place. Contributions for same will be greatly appreciated from any one, and each lady who is a member of the Methodist church is especially requested to donate to this cause. We are hoping to realize a good sum from this bazaar as just now we are in need of funds in our local work.

Miss Emma Miller, assisted by Mrs. C. B. Brown, served lovely cream and cake to each one present.

The next meeting will be held Oct. 13th at the Presbyterian church.

PRESS REPORTER.

Fine Rains.

It began raining Tuesday afternoon and has kept it up intermittently ever since, some hard showers falling during the time. The total precipitation up to Friday noon according to Judge Haass' rain gauge was 5.70 inches. Reports indicate that rain has been general and heavy all over the country and creeks have been on a boom every where. Considerable damage has been done in places and four people, a Mexican woman and three children, were drowned in San Antonio.

Latest reports from the Medina dam are that a hundred feet of water has been caught in the main dam and twenty-eight feet in the diversion dam. A big rise in the San Geronimo creek caused the Medina to rise considerable below the dam.

The rains have put out an abundance of stock-water and, while it has damaged cotton somewhat, the benefit to fall grain crops, pasture grass, etc., will be incalculable.

As we go to press every indication is that we will have more rain.

Society Organized.

The eighth and ninth grades met at the school house Friday afternoon, Sept. 26th, to elect officers for a literary society.

The following officers were elected: Maggie Cameron, president; Caughy Horger, Vice-President; Goldie Hurt, Secretary; Clara Schweers, Treasurer. Elmer Rothe was appointed Sergeant-at-arms. Clara Miller, Elmer Rothe, Ruth Chaney and Selby Woolis were selected to frame a constitution and by-laws for the Society. Leila Laughinghouse, Ruby Nowlin, Bessie Roberts and Stanton McGary were appointed to make a program for next meeting. Edna Earnest and Bessie Brucks were appointed press reporters.

The Society then adjourned to meet again Oct. 10th.

REPORTER.

For Sale.

My residence in Hondo. Apply to W. L. CROW.

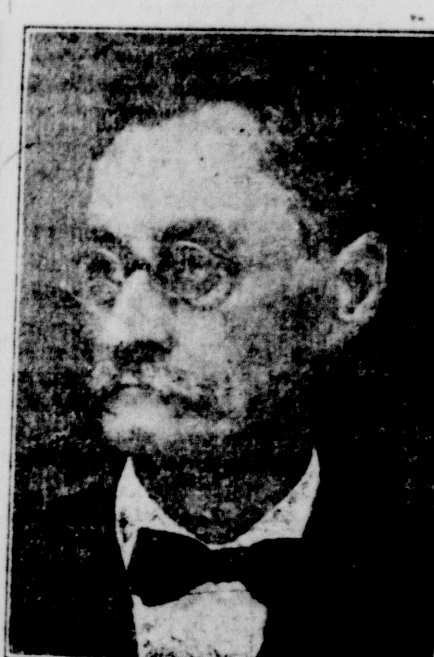
This Methodist Church Is Being Re-modeled



Hondo's \$4,000.00 Methodist Church Which is Being Re-modeled into a Beautiful \$10,000.00 Structure.



REV. M. K. FRED
Pastor of the local Methodist Church



REV. J. T. HORGER
Local Methodist Preacher

Tom Heath shipped a car of hay to San Antonio during the week.

Four cars of cotton seed were shipped from here during the week.

S. G. Carter wants your tailoring business and will serve you right.

Get in line and have your cleaning and pressing done by C. R. Hoover.

It has been too muddy for much traveling around since Tuesday of this week.

If you want value received for your money order that suit or overcoat from S. G. Carter, the Tailor.

There were sold from this station Saturday 55 excursion tickets to San Antonio on account of the big show there.

J. W. Holloway shipped a car of corn to San Antonio during the week.

Extra votes Wednesday, Oct. 8th, on any \$1.00 purchase. W. H. Windrow.

Do you need a family hack? Call on E. R. Leinweber. He can suit you.

Fresh candy, cakes, nuts, canned goods, etc. at Heyen's confectionery.

For good cleaning and steam pressing have your work done at S. G. Carter's, Phone 179.

Henry Rothe shipped six cars of steers to Ft. Worth this week. The cars contained 150 head.

For Sale or Trade by Owner—A small 4-room house, barn, good well, 1 1/2 acres of land in Hondo. For particulars call or write, S. G. Carter, Hondo.

Philathea Entertainment.

Mrs. H. J. Meyer entertained the members and friends of the Philathea Sunday School Class of the local Methodist church with a "tacky party" at her home Friday afternoon. The guests were dressed in old-fashioned and outlandish costumes.

A vote was taken on the most beautifully dressed lady present, and Miss Fanye Carle received the highest number of votes with Mrs. D. H. Fly a close second. Miss Carle's hat was becomingly trimmed in six large ostrich plumes, three black and three white, put on in all directions. Her hair was arranged in a charming psyche knot. Her gown was a handsome creation of pink, blue, green and yellow, and a beautiful black beaded shawl was worn across her shoulders.

Mrs. Fly's skirt was a beautiful pink, yellow and lavender one, and was so becoming to her that she was rightly judged one of the best dressed ladies present. Portraits of these two ladies were drawn and afforded a great deal of amusement.

A contest of questions to be answered by names of islands was an interesting feature of the party.

A program, which was enjoyed by all, consisted of vocal solos by Mesdames Harper Fly and Horace Bradley, a piano solo by Mrs. V. P. King, piano duets by Mrs. Will Parchman and Miss Laurie Woolis and Mrs. Parchman and Miss Bessie Mae Chaney and readings by Mrs. G. W. Jones, Mrs. E. G. Garwood and Miss Hallie Walker.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream, cake and punch were served.

About sixty guests were present and enjoyed one of the most novel parties ever given here.

Another Free Bible Lecture.

Since there were some earnest bible students out to hear Prof. Moore's lecture Sunday afternoon, who expressed a desire to hear the subject discussed further, he will go into further details of "God's Eternal Purpose" and His Plan of Salvation concerning both the church and the world on Sunday at 3 p. m. at the court house. The Prof. has a "Thus saith the Lord" for every assertion made. He believes the bible is a revelation of the same to all who hunger and thirst after truth and righteousness. All are cordially invited to hear his exposition of some difficult scriptures, and if any have questions to ask, he will be pleased to answer same. His lectures are all free.

To The Public.

We have opened a Grocery Store in the Ward Building on Harper Avenue, and have a complete stock of fresh, new groceries which we are selling at prices as low as is consistent with a reasonable profit. Goods are delivered promptly to any part of the city, and when you need any thing in our line you are respectfully invited to call, or ring telephone 201.

Yours to serve,
SLATER & KIRBY,
J. FLOYD SLATER, Manager, Grocers.

Patronize our advertisers; it pays.

Special Notice!

The Paul Steam Laundry is now located in its new plant and can give you the BEST of SERVICE. Edgar Haass will call every Monday and will deliver promptly on Friday. Phone 179 any other time.

We appreciate your business.

Barnes & Carter, Agents

The "Huiskamp" Boys' SCHOOL SHOE \$2.50 Per Pair

Sold Under a Guarantee by the Silverman Clothing Co. Harper ave., opp. Baptist church

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is cheap; and Devoe is not the only good paint; it is one of a dozen; and, very likely, the only one in your town—there are hundreds of middling and bad.

You can see what chance there is of another good one there: perhaps one in ten at the most.

Bad paint is dearest; middling is dear; costs 2 or 3 times as much as the best.

No matter about the cost a gallon; that isn't it; the cost a square foot; the cost a job; better yet, the cost a year.

There's a whole education in paint in this advertisement.

DEVOE

Holloway Bros. sell it.

Junior and Senior Literary Society.

On the afternoon of Friday, Sept. 26th, the Junior and Senior Classes of the Hondo High School were organized into a literary society by Miss Yarbrough.

Miss Evelyn de Montel was elected president; Sterling Fly, vice-president; Frank Jungman, secretary; Miss Verna Mae Hudspeth, treasurer; Willie Windrow, sergeant-at-arms.

The president appointed Miss Johanna Rothe, Jake Miller and Elbert de Montel as a committee to draw up a constitution and by-laws.

REPORTER.

Notice.

I have sold out my Watkins Medicine business to Mr. J. W. Mangum and will be glad to have the public extend to him the same kind of patronage they have heretofore extended me. I also wish to thank those who have given me their patronage and to remind those who are indebted to me to please pay up at once.

Respectfully,

W. B. GARRISON.

Notice!

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Seco Pressed Brick Company will be held on Monday, Oct. 13, 1913, 2 o'clock P. M. in Pete Koch's Hall at D'Hanis, Texas. Every stockholder is respectfully requested to be present.

CHAS. F. LUCKENBACH,
Sec. & Treas., S. P. B. Co.

Weather Report.

Hondo, Texas, for Sept. 1913.
Total rain-fall 2.61 inches. Temperature, highest, 99 degrees on 8th, lowest, 47 degrees on 23rd.

H. E. HAASS,
U. S. Vol. Observer,
Hondo, Texas.

Notice To Farmers.

We are now prepared to shell corn with our new improved "Sandwich" corn sheller. This sheller is a new invention, it separates the shucks and cobs, and there is no waste of corn. See or ring Phone No. 18 or 26.

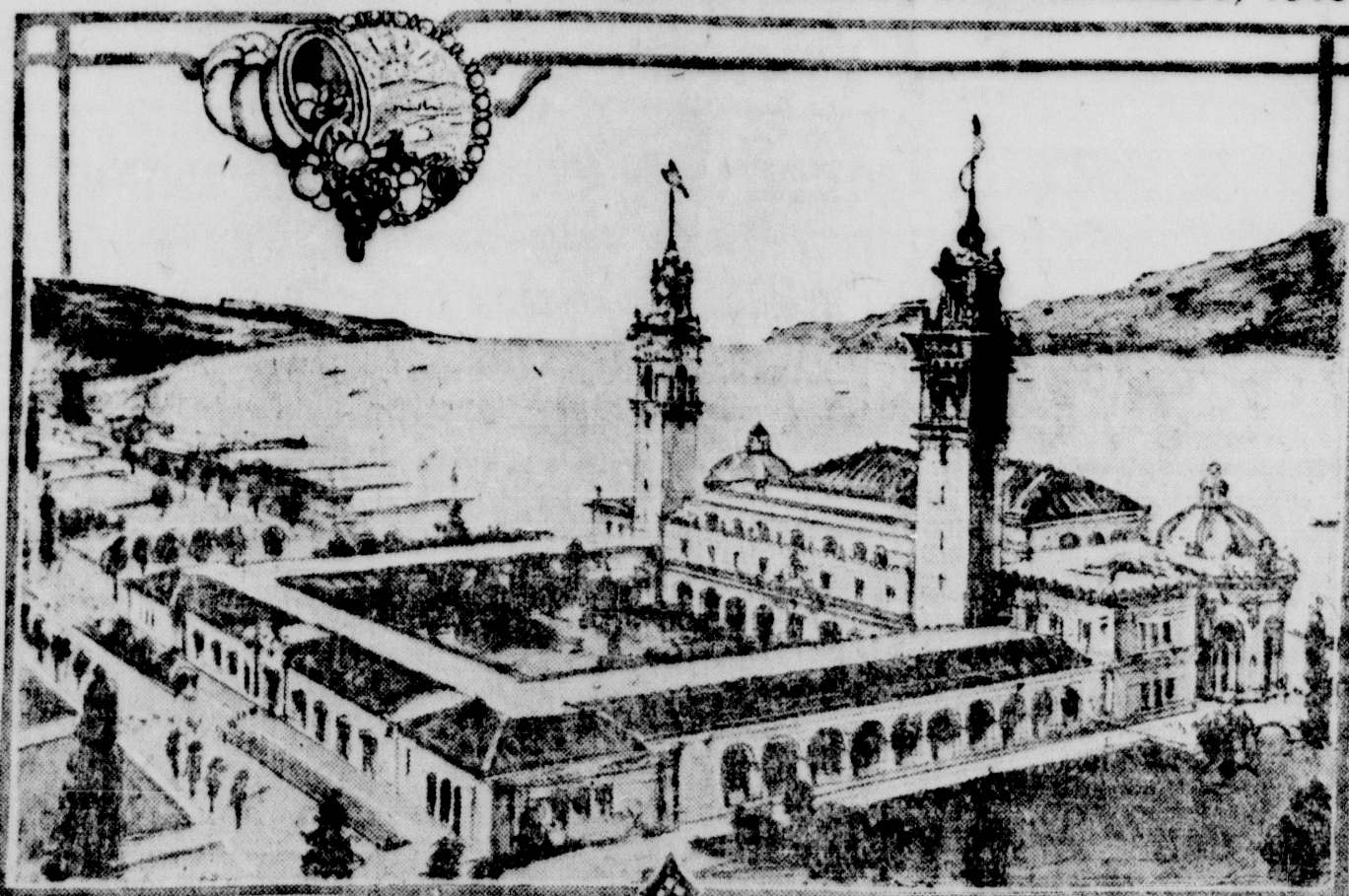
DROTCOURT BROS.

J. T. Horger

Offers for sale three choice lots, northwest corner of block 6 in the Brown-Woods Addition. Also one 8 and one 5 acre tracts in northeast and southeast corners respectively of his home survey. Prices and terms reasonable.

The Anvil Herald does job printing.

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THE California Counties Building, an example of the fine type of California Mission architecture, which will be seen at Harbor View. The building will lie upon the harbor front at the extremity of the Avenue of Common wealths and nearest to the Palace of Agriculture.

The Remington Cals get them with the center of the load



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ARROW SHOT SHELLS
SPEED—SPEED—and again, SPEED
YOUR object in shooting is to get your bird with the center of your load. Of course! Then shoot these Steel Lined Speed Shells.
They are the fastest shells in the market. Their speed is demonstrated beyond question by the one sure test in all ballistic matters—the Electric Chronograph.
Then, too, there is the experience of thousands of seasoned gunners who have been shooting the Remington-UMC Steel Lined Shells ever since they came out.
The steel lining is the thing. It grips the powder—holds it in compression—puts all the drive of the explosion behind the shot.
Your load travels quicker—you shorten up your lead. You cut down the guess work on lead and angles—you get more birds.
Your dealer carries these speed shells. Get them. Use them. Find the Red Ball mark on every box of shells and metallics you buy.
Remington Arms-Union Metallic Cartridge Co.
299 Broadway New York

A full stock of these guns and ammunition carried in Hondo only by
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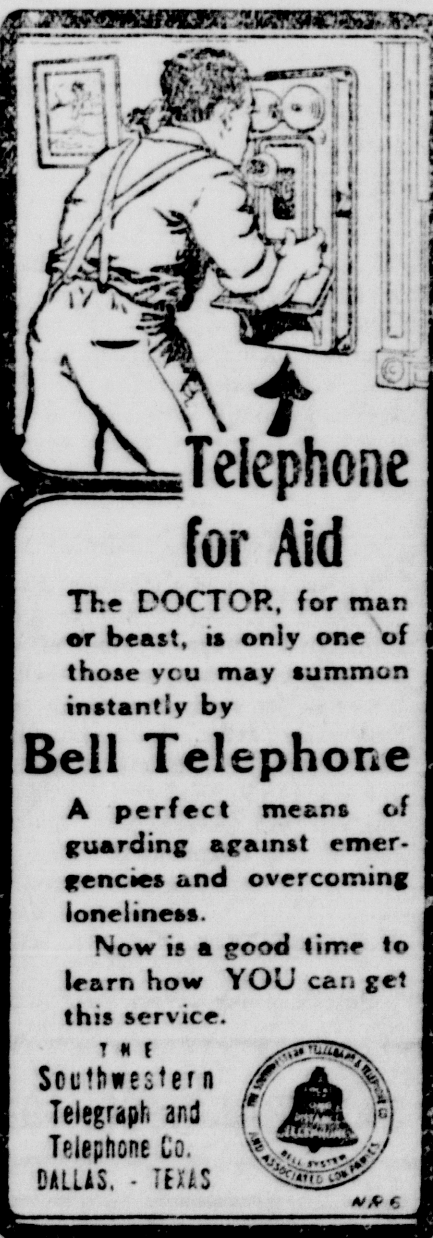
Capt. Fred Metzger.

I told you in my last warning that our President, Woodrow Wilson, would not intervene in Mexico for he is too noble to do wrong. Mexico must fight her own battles. There is Governor Carranza, general of the Constitutionals, who must fight until he has conquered and subdued the Huerta supreme power which has disgraced the Mexican people. They must fight until they establish constitutional rights in the Republic of Mexico and have punished all criminals responsible for this revolution of Huerta and Diaz. That will sweep every traitor out of public office. When you are rid of these villains then elect an honorable Mexican to be your President, one who will not have religion in your politics, for as long as you have religion to control your country you will have war, for they are for money and keep the poor in slavery. So you must be sure to elect a President that can not be controlled by any religious sect. He must believe in one God only. No religious sect must own more land than for the use of their churches. The President must have laws to confiscate all church land. They have over a thousand acres in each State in Mexico. The land must be given to the citizens of Mexico on 20 years time, to be paid a certain amount a year to the Government. The religious sect wants to elect Gamboa president. Should he be elected there will be no peace in Mexico until the people have come into their own again as citizens of Mexico. The citizens of Mexico must own the land only. All foreigners can lease land but must not own it except they have a good title if they become citizens of Mexico in five years time. The people of Mexico must unite together like brothers and then they will be happy and free. You should have no brotherhood with the Japs as their only wish is to get the Magdalena Bay.

The Family Cough Medicine

In every home there should be a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, ready for immediate use when any member of the family contracts a cold or a cough. Prompt use will stop the spread of sickness. S. A. Stid, of Mason, Mich., writes: "My whole family depends upon Dr. King's New Discovery as the best cough and cold medicine in the world. Two 50c. bottles cured me of pneumonia." Thousands of other families have been equally benefited and depend entirely upon Dr. King's New Discovery to cure their coughs, colds, throat and lung troubles. Every dose helps. Price, 50c. and \$1.00. All druggists. H. E. Bucklen & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.

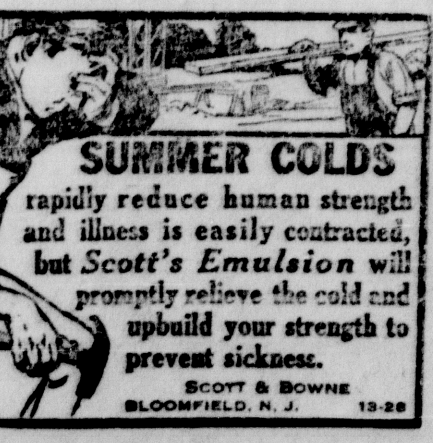
Who gets the piano?



Telephone for Aid
The DOCTOR, for man or beast, is only one of those you may summon instantly by
Bell Telephone
A perfect means of guarding against emergencies and overcoming loneliness.
Now is a good time to learn how YOU can get this service.
THE Southwestern Telephone and Telegraph Co. DALLAS, - TEXAS

Eczema and Itching Cured

The soothing, healing medication in DR. HOBSON'S ECZEMA OINTMENT penetrates every tiny pore of the skin, clears it of all impurities—stops itching instantly. Dr. Hobson's Eczema Ointment is guaranteed to speedily heal eczema, rashes, ringworm, tetter and other unsightly eruptions. Eczema Ointment is a doctor's prescription, not an experiment. All druggists or by mail, 50c. Pfeiffer Chemical Co., Philadelphia and St. Louis.



SUMMER COLDS
rapidly reduce human strength and illness is easily contracted, but Scott's Emulsion will promptly relieve the cold and rebuild your strength to prevent sickness.
SCOTT & BOWNE BLOOMFIELD, N. J. 13-28

Devine Items.

Many of our citizens attended the circus at San Antonio Saturday. Very pleasing reports are being made by our young teachers who have taken up their work. Prof. Alva Howard reports much interest in his school. Misses Ora Gossett, Myrtle Langley and Grace Stroud are delighted with the work that is being done in their schools. They all report small attendance, however, which often discourages young teachers.
Our public school is growing, every Monday we have new students to enroll.
The high school girls have organized a basket ball team and are showing much interest in the game.
The high school boys crossed bats with the town boys and defeated them twelve to seven. That is the way they mean to do it all the year and any where they may go.
Fred Bowman had business in San Antonio Sunday.
Ernest Gross, who is a school boy here, paid his home folks a visit Saturday, returning Sunday evening.
Rev. Dubose filed his regular appointment out of town Saturday and Sunday.
The Methodist Quarterly Conference convened with the Devine Methodist church Sunday. Rev. Beall preached a very able sermon Sunday morning.
Mr. Burnett, the real estate man, reports that he is about to place two more Baptist preachers in our town. He was asked to secure homes for them.
Mrs. W. B. Adams spent Tuesday in San Antonio.
Our Mothers' Club is starting off well this term. Much interest is being manifested.
About \$200 worth of hay burned on Coopwood-Littleton Co.'s land. Many gardens are being worked over in our town.
Devine, Texas, Sept. 29, 1913.

Women Who Get Dizzy.

Every woman who is troubled with fainting and dizzy spells, backache, headache, weakness, debility, constipation or kidney troubles should use Electric Bitters. They give relief when nothing else will, improve the health, adding strength and vigor from the first dose. Mrs. Laura Gaines, of Aveca, La., says: "Four doctors had given me up and my children and all my friends were looking for me to die, when my son insisted that I use Electric Bitters. I did so, and they have done me a world of good." Just try them. 50c. and \$1.00 at all druggists or by mail.
H. E. Buckler & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.

Cliff Cullings.

Our Section was blessed with a nice rain again yesterday which put a good season in the ground to sow oats, at which most of the farmers are busy.
Messrs. Lee, Mathaima and Raymond Schuchart and Ludwig Steubing took in the prize dance last week at the Empire Opera House at Castroville.
The Maverick School trustees are having a new addition built to the school house this week. They employed a Miss Foster from San Diego. She will start school on the sixth of October.
Manuel Schuchart has made three trips to San Antonio this week with his truck, hauling freight.
H. F. Wurzbach was seen on our streets yesterday.
A. L. Schuchart made a business trip to the Alamo City this week.
Every body in our section is busy hauling cotton to the Gin and also hauling corn to the Market.
Hugo Becker, a young ladies' man from the Potranco, was seen on our streets today.
Mrs. C. Schuchart and Mrs. F. L. Wurzbach and Miss Gladys Schuchart and brother, Lee, autoed to Yellow Banks last Sunday to visit E. B. Haegelin and wife.
Mr. Gus Weymeyer and son, Charlie, of the Cuibra, are doing some carpenter work on the Maverick school house this week.
Emil Haby and his lovely daughter, Miss Lenora, were shopping in Cliff last Saturday.
Cliff, Texas, Sept. 25, 1913.

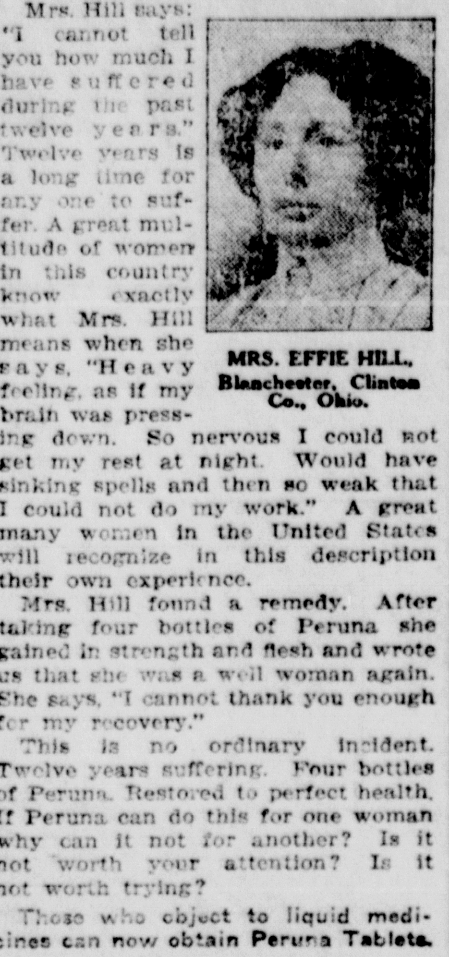
Avoid Sedative Cough Medicines.

If you want to contribute directly to the occurrence of capillary bronchitis and pneumonia use cough medicine that contain codine, morphine, heroin and other sedatives when you have a cough or cold. An expectorant like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is what is needed. That cleans out the culture beds or breeding places for the germs of pneumonia and other germ diseases. That is why pneumonia never results from a cold when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used. It has a world wide reputation for its cures. It contains no morphine or other sedative. For sale by W. H. Windrow.

The ladies of the Methodist church are arranging for a grand Bazaar to be held some time in November, and expect to have a large assortment of nice things for sale at that time.

NERVOUS HEADACHES

Heavy Feeling, as If My Brain Was Pressing Down



Mrs. Hill says: "I cannot tell you how much I have suffered during the past twelve years. Twelve years is a long time for any one to suffer. A great multitude of women in this country know exactly what Mrs. Hill means when she says, 'Heavy feeling, as if my brain was pressing down.' So nervous I could not get my rest at night. Would have sinking spells and then so weak that I could not do my work." A great many women in the United States will recognize in this description their own experience.
Mrs. Hill found a remedy. After taking four bottles of Peruna she gained in strength and flesh and wrote us that she was a well woman again. She says, "I cannot thank you enough for my recovery."
This is no ordinary incident. Twelve years suffering. Four bottles of Peruna. Restored to perfect health. If Peruna can do this for one woman why can it not for another? Is it not worth your attention? Is it not worth trying?
Those who object to liquid medicines can now obtain Peruna Tablets.

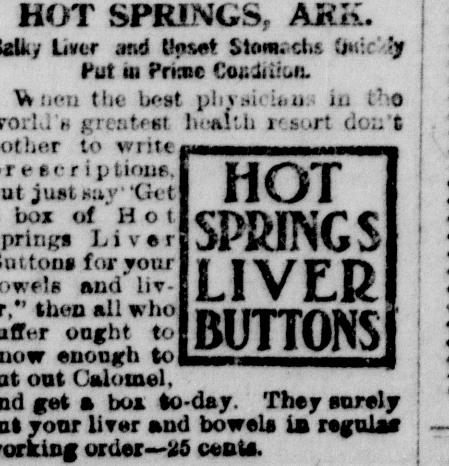
Dunlay Doings.

School started here Monday, Sept. 29th, with Prof. Aug. Myres as teacher. Quite a number of the Dunlay people attended the bazaar and entertainment at Quithi last Tuesday.
Mrs. Alb. Mammie and children, Mrs. J. H. Steidle and children and Mrs. John Schweers left for the Alamo City Friday on a several days' visit.
Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Schulte and smaller children made a business trip to Hondo Monday.
E. H. Schmidt was in town one day last week.
Mrs. Ida Rischhoff and little son paid a visit to her brother, John Brucks, and family at Verdina Sunday.
Messrs. Wm. and Henry Meyer and families visited Chas. Krenmueller and family Sunday.
Mrs. Frank Bader was shopping in our burg Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stiegler and Robert Breiten visited home folks Sunday afternoon.
Alfred Brucks has returned to his home after a three weeks' stay with his uncle, Jacob Breiten, and family.
Judge M. Schorobiny was seen in town Monday.
Misses Minnie Lindeburg, Mary Fehrman and Hulda Schulte visited Miss Lisetta Breiten Sunday evening.
Mrs. Alfred Hutzler went to San Antonio Sunday.
Joe Schlichter was here on business Monday.
Mrs. W. C. North left Sunday for Sabinal.
Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lebold, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Balzen, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Balzen, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Brucks, Misses Emma and Annie Nietenhoefer and Messrs. Henry J., Emil and Geo. Boehle, Henry, Robert and Emil Riff, Ben Gefinger, Joen G. Bohlen, Walter and Willie Fuos and John Zuberbueier attended the circus in San Antonio Saturday. Dunlay, Sept. 29, 1913.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
Address: F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by all druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

LIVER BUTTONS FROM HOT SPRINGS, ARK.



Balky Liver and Upset Stomachs Quickly Put in Prime Condition.
When the best physicians in the world's greatest health resort don't bother to write prescriptions, but just say "Get a box of Hot Springs Liver Buttons for your bowels and liver," then all who suffer ought to know enough to cut out Calomel, and get a box to-day. They surely put your liver and bowels in regular working order—25 cents.

W. H. WINDROW, DRUGS
Hondo, Texas.

The South Side Saloon
Fritz Wohlschlegel, Prop.
Handles Wines, Liquors, Beer, Cigars, Smoking and Chewing Tobaccos.
Cameron Building.
South of Depot Hondo, Texas.

The Staff of Life is BREAD
A daily essential which we supply. All must have it to live. We solicit the privilege of supplying yours. We make good fresh
Cakes, Pies Etc. daily and guarantee all of the products of this bakery.
MATT. RATH Proprietor... **The City Bakery.**

THE CITY SALOON
G. H. Sagers, Prop.
A splendid assortment of Wines, Liquors and Cigars

The Buckhorn Saloon
T. J. SAUTER, Proprietor
DEALER IN
Wines, Liquors, Beer and Cigars
Edgewood Whiskey a Specialty
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The Hondo Meat Market
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Citation by Publication.
THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina County, Greeting:—

You are hereby commanded to summon J. N. Berryman, the unknown heirs of J. N. Berryman, W. H. Parsons, the unknown heirs of W. H. Parsons, Myra W. Parsons, the unknown heirs of Myra W. Parsons, Jacob Massina, the unknown heirs of Jacob Massina, A. P. Granger, and the unknown heirs of A. P. Granger, to be and appear before the Honorable District Court of Medina County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof to be begun and holden at the court house of Medina County, Texas, in the town of Hondo on the eighth Monday after the first Monday in the month of September, A. D. 1913, the same being the 27th day of October, A. D. 1913, then and there to answer a petition in a certain cause filed in said court on the 27th day of August, A. D. 1913, being file number No. 1728, on the docket of said court, wherein Louis Rothe and A. C. Rothe Jr. are plaintiffs and the defendants therein being J. N. Berryman, the unknown heirs of J. N. Berryman, W. H. Parsons, Myra W. Parsons, the unknown heirs of Myra W. Parsons, Jacob Massina, the unknown heirs of Jacob Massina, A. P. Granger, and the unknown heirs of A. P. Granger. The nature of plaintiffs' demand being as follows, to-wit:

That on or about the 1st day of August, A. D. 1913, they were lawfully seized and possessed of the following described lands and premises holding and claiming the same in fee simple to-wit:

1st. 738 acres of land, known as Survey No. 1004, in the name of J. N. Berryman, described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the N. E. corner of survey No. 905, Brainerd County School Lands; Thence East 2670 varas to a stake; Thence South 1560 1/2 varas to a stake; Thence West 2670 varas to a stake; Thence North 1560 1/2 varas to place of beginning.

2nd. 738 acres of Land, known as Survey No. 1005, in the name of J. N. Berryman, described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the S. E. corner of survey No. 905, Brainerd County School Lands; Thence North with the East line of said Survey No. 905, 1560 1/2 varas to a stake and mound, made for the N. W. corner of this Survey; Thence East 2670 varas to a stake set for the N. E. corner of this survey; Thence South 1560 1/2 varas to a stake; Thence West 2670 varas to the place of beginning;

Said two tracts of Land lying and being situated in Medina County, Texas. That on the said 1st day of August, A. D. 1913, the said Defendants unlawfully entered upon said premises and ejected plaintiffs therefrom and unlawfully withhold from them the possession thereof.

That plaintiff Louis Rothe's title to the above described lands is by virtue of a deed from Alvin P. Granger to F. Rothe and Bros., a firm consisting of Henry Rothe, Fritz Rothe, Louis Rothe and August Rothe, dated August 19, 1889, recorded in the Deed Records of Medina County, Texas, in Book A, No. 22, on page 24; and by deed from the said Henry Rothe and Fritz Rothe to Louis Rothe and A. C. Rothe, dated February 19th, 1897, recorded in the Deed Records of Medina County, Texas, in Book A, No. 28, on page 598, and by deed from A. C. Rothe to plaintiff Louis Rothe, dated July 14 1905, recorded in the Deed Records of Medina County, Texas, in Book A, No. 37, on page 507. That the said deed from Alvin P. Granger to F. Rothe & Bros. was filed for registration in the County Clerk's office of said Medina County, on October 3rd, 1889, that said deed from Henry and Fritz Rothe to Louis and A. C. Rothe was filed for registration in said Medina County on February 23, 1897; that said deed from A. C. Rothe to Louis Rothe was filed for registration in said Medina County on July 15, 1905. That the title of plaintiff A. C. Rothe Jr. to a part of said survey No. 1005, is by virtue of a deed from Henry Rothe, A. C. Rothe, Louis Rothe and F. Rothe, dated ——— 1912, filed June 10, 1912, for registration in said Medina County, and recorded in Book A, No. 47, on pages 430 and 431, of the Deed Records of said County.

Plaintiffs further represent and allege that they have a good and perfect title to said Land and premises under and by virtue of the Statute of Limitation of (3) three years for the reason that said plaintiffs, and those under whom they claim by duly registered deeds, have had peaceable and adverse possession thereof under title or color of title for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit.

Plaintiffs further represent and allege that they have a good and perfect title to said land and premises under and by virtue of the Statute of Limitation of five (5) years for the reason that said plaintiffs and those under whom they claim, as aforesaid, have had peaceable and adverse possession of said land and premises, cultivating, using and enjoying the same and paying all taxes due thereon as the same

accrue, and claiming the title thereto under and by virtue of the above mentioned deeds of conveyance, duly filed and registered as aforesaid, for more than five years prior to the time of the institution of this suit.

Plaintiffs further represent and allege that they have a good and perfect title to the lands and premises under and by virtue of the Statute of Limitation of ten (10) years for the reason that plaintiffs, and those under whom they claim, as aforesaid, have had peaceable and adverse possession of said Land and premises, cultivating, grazing, using and enjoying the same for more than ten years prior to the time of the institution of this suit.

Plaintiffs further represent that the title or claim of the said J. N. Berryman, and the unknown heirs of the said J. N. Berryman, if any, to the above described lands, is by virtue of the patent issued by the State of Texas, to the said J. N. Berryman on July 16, 1852, being patent No. 579, vol. 9.

That the title or claim of defendant W. H. Parsons, and the unknown heirs of W. H. Parsons, is unknown; that the title of defendant, Myra W. Parsons, and the unknown heirs of Myra W. Parsons, if any, is by virtue of a deed from said defendant, W. H. Parsons, to said Myra W. Parsons, dated May 6, 1878, filed for record in Medina County, Texas, on June 27, 1879, and recorded in the deed records of said county in Book A, No. 12, on page 530; that the title or claim of defendant, Jacob Massina, and the unknown heirs of Jacob Massina, is unknown to plaintiffs; that the title or claim of defendant, A. P. Granger, and the unknown heirs of A. P. Granger, is by virtue of a deed from defendant, Jacob Massina, to the said A. P. Granger, dated March 21, 1878, filed for record in the deed records of Medina County, Texas, on June 11, 1878, and recorded in the deed records of said county in Book A, No. 11, on page 538.

Plaintiffs bring this suit for the purpose of determining the estate, interest or claim, if any, of each and all of the above named defendants, or any person or persons who may claim under them, in and to said lands and premises and that the court may adjudge and decree unto plaintiffs the said land and premises, free from any claim, title or interest of the said defendants, or any of them, and to forever settle by decree of court the title to said lands.

Wherefore, plaintiffs pray that said defendants, the names of part of whom are unknown to plaintiffs, and the residences of all are unknown to plaintiffs, be cited by publication as prescribed by the Statutes of this State, and that

upon final hearing in the case that plaintiffs have judgment of the Court, declaring and adjudicating the title to the above described lands to be in plaintiffs free from any and all claims in favor of said defendants, or any of them, and for such other and further relief, general or special, legal or equitable, to which plaintiffs may be justly entitled to.

And you will summon the said defendants to so answer the said petition by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in Medina County, Texas, if there be any newspaper published therein, but if not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, once in each week for eight successive weeks previous to the return day hereof.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, August Kempf, Clerk of the District Court of Medina County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Hondo, this 27th day of August, A. D. 1913. Issued same day.

AUGUST KEMPF,
Clerk District Court,
Medina County, Texas.

Quick Help to Backache and Rheumatism.

The man or woman who wants quick help from backache and rheumatism, will find it in Foley Kidney Pills. They act so quickly and with such good effect that weak inactive kidneys that do not keep the blood clean and free from impurities, are toned up and strengthened to healthy vigorous action. Good results follow their use promptly. W. H. Windrow.

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To stop following hostile vessels or even for purposes of attack when the conditions are right a German naval officer has invented a Greek fire that will burn while floating on water.

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Because so many are telling their experience with Hunt's Lightning Oil for Headaches, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, etc., others are lead to give it a trial, and are convinced immediately of its merits as a pain killer. Are you yet to be convinced? Ask the Druggist.

Make your real estate wants known to us. Hondo Land Co



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No other baking powder will raise nicer, lighter biscuits, cakes and pastry, none is more pure and wholesome



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A GENERAL TONIC - TAKE GROVE'S

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is Equally Valuable as a General Tonic because it Acts on the Liver, Drives Out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. For Grown People and Children.

You know what you are taking when you take Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic as the formula is printed on every label showing that it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It is as strong as the strongest bitter tonic and is in Tasteless Form. It has no equal for Malaria, Chills and Fever, Weakness, general debility and loss of appetite. Gives life and vigor to Nursing Mothers and Pale, Sickly Children. Removes Biliousness without purging. Relieves nervous depression and low spirits. Arouses the liver to action and purifies the blood. A True Tonic and Sure Appetizer. A Complete Strengthenener. No family should be without it. Guaranteed by your Druggist. We mean it. 50c.

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Colder with rains causing rheumatic pains. Hunt's Lightning Oil stops all aches and pains whether from Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cuts, Burns or Bruises. The quickest Liniment known. 25c and 50c bottles. All Druggists.

300 Acres

of uncleared land, black mesquite, seven miles from railroad. Price \$15.00, half cash and balance on terms to suit purchaser. Apply to HONDO LAND Co., Hondo, Texas.

For Sale, A forty-acre farm-lot in Medina Valley, \$50.00 per acre; half cash and balance in one and two years at 8 per cent. Apply to Hondo Land Co., Hondo, Texas.

320 Acres

of unimproved land, 15 miles southwest of Hondo, on Squirrel Creek, black sandy soil. Price \$6.00 per acre, half cash and balance in one and two years.

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Hondo, Texas.

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In placing my holdings on the market, consisting of lands around Charlotte and Jourdanton, both improved and unimproved, I do so with the knowledge that these lands are most favorably situated and offer every convenience to those seeking homes. Within easy reach of every point are modern gins, well equipped schools, commodious churches, good roads lead everywhere, to nearby railroad stations and the best markets in Texas.

This property has not been offered earlier because these very necessary advantages were not to be had, but now they are a reality---nothing is left to speculation or future contingencies. Settlers now have all the advantages that can be found anywhere in a fully developed community without paying the prices that are asked in the older sections. You can have the benefit, for I am offering you the most desirable opportunity in Texas.

These lands are as good as can be had in South Texas; there are no better anywhere. Plenty of water can be obtained on any tract and shallow wells can be located at small cost furnishing an abundance of good water. The soil is fertile, there are no crop failures on these farms and no irrigation is necessary. No section of the state offers a more healthy or delightful climate, winter or summer.

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**Gerade jetzt ist die Zeit
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**Homeseekers are urgently request-
ed to investigate the proposition and
inspect this year's crops. This is the
best opportunity that will ever be
offered you. These lands are within
your reach. The prices are low, small
cash payment and balance to suit
purchaser.**

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FIRST-CLASS TOWNS
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GOOD ROADS
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: : VIEWS AND REVIEWS : :

SLUSHY, muddy walks are solid arguments for better sidewalks!

Patience may cease to be a virtue; but patience is the better policy!

A man usually adds the full amount of interest when he pays off old scores!

PARADOXICAL as it may seem one never plays the game fair when playing even!

You will confer a double favor by telling our advertisers that you saw their advertisement in this paper.

THE fine season in the ground means plenty of winter range if the frost stays off a little while, and winter range means fat cattle and good times for the stockman.

It is a dull week when there is not a new candidate to announce for Governor. From the material now in the race, however, one would conclude that Texas is in bad shape for gubernatorial timber.

THE fine rains make it possible for every farmer to have a fine winter oat field and a fine turnip patch, and the farmer who has them will have fat stock all winter and can sell some of his surplus feed in the spring.

THE ANVIL HERALD on Monday of this week delivered to Tax Collector, Joe Ney, 19 sets of poll-tax receipts, a set for each precinct in the county, and aggregating over 1000 receipts and as many duplicates, all beautifully printed in red and black and numbered consecutively. Mr. Ney is now, and has been since the first, retailing these receipts at \$1.75 each, and we advise every voter to procure one if he wishes to have the respect of the next year's prospective candidates and the glorious privilege of exercising his sovereignty. The receipts won't get any cheaper and there will be no bargain sales, so don't delay but dig up your \$1.75 at once and avoid the rush.

Our job department has been crowded lately but by the time this reaches our readers we will have caught up again, and will be ready for you to bring on your orders. Workmanship and quality as good as the best; prices as low as the lowest.

THE rebel forces in Mexico this week have been getting the worst of it and indications are that Carranza's days are numbered. The Mexican soldier is not given to fidelity to the losing side in battles either with bullets or ballots.

PATRONIZE those who patronize us and we will all prosper. - See?

Standing of Contestants.

Following is the standing of Contestants in the W. H. Windrow Piano Contest at Wednesday's Count:

4	4,000	74	282,420
5	884,153	75	302,315
6	320,990	76	177,105
10	322,400	78	1,552,745
11	2,634,930	79	352,315
12	177,205	80	1,282,085
14	2,521,875	81	154,110
15	308,650	82	685,680
16	368,528	83	262,315
17	252,250	84	335,635
20	448,420	85	277,205
24	152,610	87	262,315
25	383,335	88	511,890
28	423,960	90	263,210
32	650,565	91	180,110
38	468,470	94	233,335
41	247,935	100	287,315
43	324,320	102	272,315
47	742,135	104	1,520,115
52	401,420	105	227,415
56	255,120	106	112,210
59	309,005	114	332,315
68	2,035	115	232,315
69	427,490	120	1,809,290
66	487,210	127	1,152,912
67	650,420	129	1,219,815
68	257,115	137	551,555
70	382,675	138	427,360
71	454,950	147	257,510

The Anvil Herald and the Confederate Veteran will be sent for \$1.75 per annum. If you have not seen The Veteran, write to Nashville, Tenn., for a sample copy, then subscribe through this office.

This paper only \$1.00 a year. Try it Ask for piano certificates at the Anvil Herald office.

S. G. Carter can save you from \$5 to \$10 on your suit.

Try the Anvil Herald one year for one dollar—less than two cents a week.

County Attorney R. J. Noonan returned yesterday from a professional visit to Castroville.

Mrs. Felix Batot entertained the members of the Ladies' Club at rock Tuesday afternoon.

C. W. Roberts returned yesterday morning from Uvalde. He reports heavy rains all the way.

When you need the services of a Notary Public call at the Anvil Herald office or ring telephone 127.

Let us save you money on that lumber bill. Get our prices and be convinced. Sunrise Lumber Co.

J. W. Griffiths has gone to Illinois to join his family who have been visiting relatives there for some time.

Send the Anvil Herald to your relatives and friends elsewhere. It will be a weekly news-letter to them.

The Sunrise Lumber Co. wants to figure all of your lumber bills. We can satisfy you in price and quality.

At S. G. Carter's is the only place you can get sanitary steam pressing. Phone 179 for prompt service.

Good music will be furnished for the second ball to be given October 15th, at Wernette's Opera House at Castroville.

A Real Bargain!

FOR SALE—A 1070-acre farm, seven miles from railroad, two miles from gin, quarter of a mile from school, three small houses, large barn, good well with windmill, two good tanks, black and black-sandy land, 225 acres in cultivation, balance in pasture fenced with four wires, 600 acres more could be cultivated. This splendid ranch for sale at \$25 per acre, one-third cash and balance in eight annual payments at 8 per cent interest, and to include eight mules, wagon and farm implements if taken at once. Address

Hondo Land Co.

HONDO, TEXAS

Get it at Windrow's.

Ask for Piano votes at Anvil Herald office.

Remember, it's a Claxton Upright Grand Piano.

Five reels every Tuesday at the Star. 5c and 10c.

You will be pleased with a suit ordered by S. G. Carter.

One piano vote with every cent of your purchase at Windrow's.

A full line of fall and winter samples is now on display at C. R. Hoover's.

For best and quickest service, phone 179. S. G. Carter, The Enterprise Tailor.

Wanted.—A man with \$250 to join in a profitable investment. Apply at this office.

If you would be correctly and stylishly dressed call on C. R. Hoover and let him fix you up.

Folk & Burger shipped a mixed car of calves and hogs to the San Antonio market during the week.

5000 votes on \$1.00 worth of anything in the drug store on Wednesday, Oct. 8th. W. H. Windrow.

Our prices and quality of fall and winter suits will please you. Let me be your tailor. C. R. Hoover.

Up to Thursday night of this week there had been shipped from this place this season 6012 bales of cotton.

You will regret it if you don't inspect S. G. Carter's line of woolen samples before buying your suit.

Special sale every Wednesday. Watch for them and get the extra votes. W. H. Windrow.

Marvin Beal wishes to inform his friends that he is now associated with his brother, W. C. Beal, on the south side of town.

Leed's Woolen Mills \$15.00 hand-tailored suits are the best on the market for the money. Samples on display at S. G. Carter's, the Tailor.

STRAYED—Ten days ago from Mr. Embry's pasture, deep-red heifer, branded JY with a circle over it on the right side. I will pay \$2.00 reward for its recovery. Angel Ytuarte.

FOR RENT—A fine 500-acre farm, 400 acres in cultivation and 100 in pasture, located nine miles from San Antonio on a macadamized road. Address, Harry Landa, New Braunfels, Tex. 9-3

Mrs. Glider returned to her home at Uvalde Monday after a few days visit to her grand-daughter, Mrs. J. G. Heyen.

L. Sharfmann, manager of the Supermarket Supply Co. store, returned yesterday from a business trip to San Antonio.

Sheriff J. F. Bader has been busy this week summoning county and district court jurors for the ensuing court terms.

Call on E. R. Leinweber when you need a serviceable and reliable vehicle. He has a large assortment of the standard makes.

For Sale or Trade by Owner—A small 4-room house, barn, good well, 1 1/2 acres of land in Hondo. For particulars call or write, S. G. Carter, Hondo.


S. G. Carter has the best and cheapest line of woolen samples in town to order your suit or overcoat from. For the best suits order from S. G. Carter, the Tailor.

FOR RENT—The old Eliza Tampke farm of 100 acres, 60 acres in cultivation, at Vandenberg, 200 yards from Vandenberg school house on Verde creek and New Fountain road, with house and good well. For further information see Joe Britsch. 9-4t

Be a booster and use Hondo Booster Envelopes. Only a few left. Order a thousand now for \$4.00; 500 for \$2.25; 200 for \$1.00. If you do not need a dollar's worth be a booster anyhow and buy a package for 15c or two packages for 25c. Call at this office.

For Sale.—Two acres of land, with five room dwelling and store and \$2000 stock of merchandise. Land and improvements will be sold for \$3,500 and stock at invoice price. Store contains country postoffice. Convenient to railroad. A bargain for some one. Apply to Hondo Land Co., Hondo, Texas.

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Look Better—Fit Better—Wear Better

"TESS and TED" school shoes have become famous for their style, finish and long wearing qualities. Four pairs will outwear five pairs of ordinary shoes made for children's wear.

Many shoemakers yield to the temptation to use substitutes for leather in children's shoes, because of the high price of leather, but we have built up our business by selling honest leather shoes.

Cut up a pair of "Tess and Ted" or any other "Star Brand" shoes and you will find that they have sole-leather heels, soles and counters. No substitutes for leather are ever used. See No. 2126—a new model for boys.

Pure Shoe Legislation is pending in Congress and many states to protect you against fraud. We heartily endorse it. The rights of 100 million consumers are greater than those of a few hundred manufacturers.

"Tess and Ted" school shoes are made in a hundred different styles for boys and girls of all ages. They are designed to properly fit the foot of growing children.

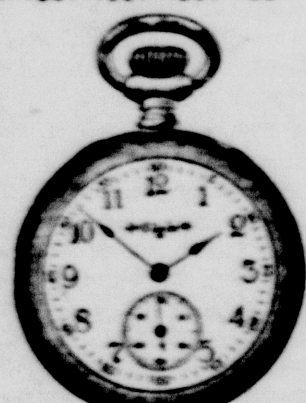
"Tess and Ted" school shoes and over 700 other styles of "Star Brand" shoes are for sale by 20,000 good merchants. Don't just go into any store and ask for them, but come direct to our store. We are specializing on these famous shoes.

The name on the sole and the "Star" on the heel insures honest values.

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The Famous Overhead Valve Motor will continue to demonstrate itself as the greatest power producer ever used in an automobile.

The same economy of fuel consumption, same durability and consistent service coupled with the old recognized capability insures the same reliable Buicks.

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All equipment will be in keeping with that standard and permits the assertion that more than ever will the past leadership of Buick cars be maintained and strengthened for 1914.

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HONDO, TEXAS

Start Your Journey Right!



To do so you must start in time. To start in time you must have the correct time. If you purchase your time-piece

WATCHES AND CLOCKS from me you will be sure of the correct time. I handle only reliable makes and sell under a strict guarantee.

V. A. Crow, The Jeweler

LOOK!

Have Just Received a Nice Line of

GINGHAMS, SHIRTINGS, DRESS GOODS, ETC. at the Racket Store.

J. W. Ridenour

Little local ads pay. Try it

How to Secure a Handsome HAND DECORATED Dinner Set Free!

Trade is never so brisk but any store can handle more of it. Being no exception to this general rule we expect to increase our business by offering for CASH TRADE premiums of the greatest value that have ever been given out.

A housekeeper may acquire a whole set of this chinaware at absolutely no expense by simply buying the goods you need in our line of us at prices always the lowest.

We desire to inform you that we have a contract with the oldest and one of the largest potteries in the United States to furnish us with a quantity of High Grade, Richly Decorated Semi-Porcelain Ware. The arrangement we have made with this pottery enables us to keep the Pattern in open stock and as an advertisement to place a handsome dinner set in every home in this vicinity.

The quality of this ware is first-class in every particular, the utmost care being taken in its manufacture, and it will not break or chip as easily as most ware does, and is guaranteed against crazing. The decorations are burned into the glaze, thus making them permanent.

The distribution of these handsome dinner sets will not effect our prices in any department. All goods you buy from us will represent the most and best that your money can buy elsewhere.

We are giving you an opportunity to secure a complete DINNER SET as an advertisement to increase our business and to show in a substantial way that we appreciate your trade.

We accordingly extend you a special invitation to call at our store and inspect these beautiful dishes. It will be to your advantage to call at once so we can explain to you our plan in detail.

Hondo Mercantile Co.

CHILDREN! Grown-ups and all, listen! Old Santa Claus

Will have his headquarters at
Windrow's Drug Store
YOU KNOW HE ALWAYS LEAVES A WORLD
OF EVERY THING FOR CHRISTMAS HERE.
HE HAS MORE THAN USUAL ON THE ROAD TO
W. H. WINDROW
Prescription Druggist
P. S. Santa says he likes
Windrow's for headquarters.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Laundry basket every week. See
Beal Bros.

For good blacksmithing try J. H.
Meyers, tf.

All kinds of nuts at Hutzler's con-
fectionery.

Let S. G. Carter save you money on
that fall suit.

D. M. Ferry's garden seed for sale
at F. A. Heyen's.

F. W. Erick was here Saturday from
Dunlay on business.

Fruit Jars, half gallons, quarts and
pints, at C. R. Gaines'.

Willie J. Gerdes was a business call-
er at this office Saturday.

Will Deckert was in town Wednes-
day on business for his company.

Let the Texas Steam Laundry do
our laundrying. Beal Bros. agents.

D. Deckert was here this week from
San Antonio looking after business in-
terests.

For Rent Cheap, —A four-room house
in the south part of Hondo. Apply at
this office.

Remember I guarantee all clothes I
order to give perfect satisfaction. S.
G. Carter the tailor.

The dance at the Auditorium last
Saturday night was largely attended
and all had a splendid time.

Emmitt de Montel and George Carle
Jr. were here from San Marcos Sun-
day on a visit to homefolks.

Mrs. G. R. Clark and little daugh-
ter, Vera, left Thursday evening for
San Antonio to join Mr. Clark.

Bring your wagons, hacks and bug-
gies to L. A. Mechler & Co. to have
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We have the facilities for prompt
delivery. Give us your orders for
building material. Sunrise Lumber Co.

Messrs. C. W. Roberts, C. W. Gil-
ham and Eugene Mofield went to
Uvalde Monday to sell Huisson and
Paige automobiles.

A big stock of guns of all kinds and
ammunition for all kinds of guns are
arriving now at Gaines'. Go to him
for all of your needs in this line.

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Fine Floor Good Lights

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Now is the time to order that Tailor
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ter's, the Tailor.

Fruits of all kinds in season at Hey-
en's confectionery.

Bring your carriage and auto repair-
ing to J. H. Meyers, tf.

All kinds of fresh fruits in season at
Hutzler's confectionery.

County Court convenes here next
Monday for the October term.

Delicious Drinks served every day
at Mrs. Hutzler's Soda Fountain.

Mrs. T. H. Reynolds was a San An-
tonio visitor the first of the week.

Jim Bader was here this week from
Eagle Pass on a visit to homefolks.

Go to E. R. Leinweber with your
vehicle wants. He can supply you.

All kinds of cold drinks served every
day at F. A. Heyen's confectionery.

The finest stock of pocket knives
ever seen at Hondo is now on display
at Gaines'.

If you haven't a program for the
week at the Star, ask for it at the
ticket window.

For a good cigar call at Hutzler's
Confectionery. All of the approved
brands in stock.

For Sale or Trade, —Horses, Mares
and Mules. Apply to Russell Routt,
Hondo, Texas. tf

Miss Mabel Hollaway returned to
school at San Marcos Monday after
having spent several days at home on
sick leave.

Mrs. George Reitzer and little
daughter arrived Thursday night from
Clifton, Arizona, on a month's visit to
relatives here.

John Naegelin was here last Satur-
day from Castroville to attend the
horse races, and while here paid our
office a business call.

M. L. Saathoff came down from
Tarpley the first of the week and en-
joyed the novel experience of getting
water-bound in Hondo.

Mrs. O. A. Perkins and little son,
George Thomas, are here from Schul-
enberg on a visit to Mrs. Perkins' sis-
ter, Mrs. R. P. Thomas.

The Bible Lecture by Prof. Moore, a
representative of the International
Bible Students' Association, at the
auditorium was fairly well attended.

Call at Leinweber's vehicle reposi-
tory on Bandera Ave. and select that
new hack or buggy. Several standard
makes of reliable vehicles to select
from.

C. G. Leighton came down from
Tarpley Sunday and went to San An-
tonio Monday on business. He re-
turned to Hondo just in time to get
water-bound.

Adolph Biediger was here Thursday
from Bader Settlement on business.
Mr. Biediger said that while the we-
eds had been bad his crop was turning
out fairly well.

John Reitzer was here Thursday to
meet his daughter-in-law, Mrs. George
Reitzer, who with her little daughter
arrived on the evening train from
Clifton, Arizona.

A. A. Huegele was over from D'Han-
is Monday and paid this office a busi-
ness call. Mr. Huegele is now en-
gaged in the contractor and builders
trade in that town.

Mrs. W. T. Ford was here this week
the guest of her mother, Mrs. G. W.
Monkhouse. She left yesterday for
her home at Charlotte where Mr. Ford
is engaged in the banking business.

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Remember the date of the Races at
old Castroville, October 15, 1913.

See E. R. Leinweber when you need
a new hack or buggy. He has it.

If you want a good serviceable hack
or buggy call on E. R. Leinweber.

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ily horse and surry. Apply to C. W.
Gilliam. tf.

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weekly trip to the laundry from Beal
Bros.' shop.

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will please you in quality and price see
E. R. Leinweber.

A fine girl was born to Mr. and Mrs.
Emil Leinweber on Monday, Septem-
ber, 29th. Mother and child are doing
well.

Another car of new and second-hand
furniture now at Rose's second-hand
Store. See him for furniture bar-
gains.

For lots of fun and a good old time
come to Castroville and take in the
Dances and Horse Races October 14
and 15, 1913.

Friends here will be pleased to learn
that Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Conley of
Corpus Christi are the proud parents
of a fine girl.

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terial supplied at the Sunrise Lumber
Co. Come to us with your building
material wants.

A carload of the celebrated Mitchell
Wagons just received. Call and in-
spect them before making your pur-
chase. EUGEN HUESER.

Don't forget the dates of The Two
Grand Balls which will be given at
Wernette's Opera House at Castro-
ville, October 14 and 15, 1913.

Mrs. Jessie Goodloe of Mt. Calm and
Mrs. J. H. Garrison and children of
Corpus Christi are guests of W. B.
Garrison and family on the Hondo.

The Hondo Auto Sales Co. reports
the sale of nine Paige autos, one
Hudson Six, and a Commercial Auto
Truck as their first month's business.

Messrs. L. E. Heath, S. A. Jung-
man, R. J. Noonan and Elmer de Mon-
tel autowed to Cliff Tuesday and were
caught in the rain and had to return by
rail.

Bear in mind Theo. Artzt's Splendid
Orchestra will furnish the music for
the first two grand Balls to be given
at Wernette's Opera House October
14 and 15, 1913.

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will make a good business for some
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Mrs. R. W. Heath and children,
who had been visiting relatives here,
left for their home at San Antonio
Thursday evening. They were ac-
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ville October 15, 1913. The main fea-
ture of the day will be Mac Mickle's
Filley, "Mamie C." of Devine, against
Bill Knox's Filley of Cuero, in a
quarter of a mile dash.

A Good Roads and Automobile meet-
ing combined has been called by Judge
H. E. Haass, President of the Auto-
mobile Club, to meet at Biry, Monday,
October 20th. Formal announcement
of the same will be made next week.

Sebastian Rieber was here the mid-
dle of the week from Sabinal on busi-
ness. His new house, which con-
tractor Wottlin is building for him in
the Fly Addition, is nearing comple-
tion and will soon be occupied by Mr.
Rieber's family.

The rainy weather has interfered
very materially with the attendance at
the Star Theatre picture shows this
week. Messrs. Perry & Hodge are
showing some high-class pictures, the
best to be had, in fact, and the at-
tendance is usually good.

H. Hartman, an experienced cloth-
ing salesman, now has charge of that
department at the Sugarman Supply
Co. Store, and invites the people of
Hondo and vicinity to call and make
his acquaintance. Mr. Hartmann is a
valuable addition to this firm's selling
force.

Colonel Metzger, a prominent citizen
of New Fountain, is interesting him-
self in the removal of the county site
of Medina County to that place. It is
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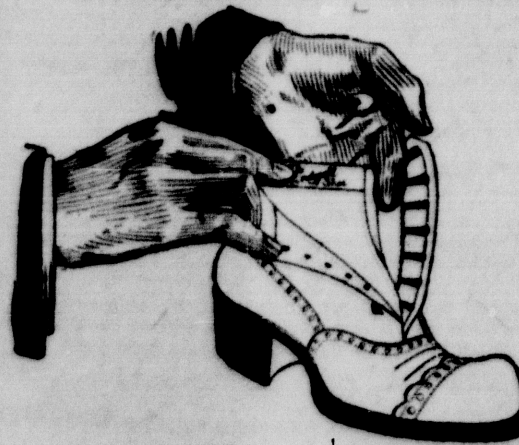
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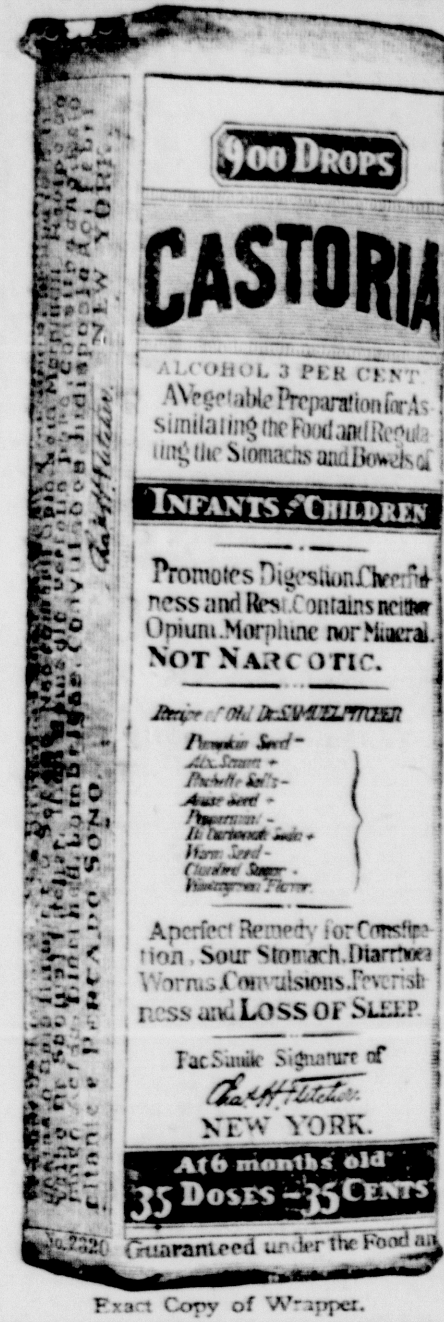


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"There are many advantages in oil," he replied. "First we can steam farther with a given number of tons of oil than with the same number of tons of coal. We can also store the oil more advantageously, for it will fill corners in a ship where coal could not be placed.

"A very big advantage, however, is in the reduced number of men required to handle the boilers. One man with oil can take the place of four men shoveling coal. Usually the oil is sprayed into the furnace, but there are several methods of applying the oil."

This officer said that the United States will have some very valuable oiling stations in Alaska. Arrangements are already making to establish oiling stations in place of coaling stations in various other parts of the world—Philadelphia Ledger.

Roses in the Day's Work.

To the attention of those persons who believe they have done all they should do when they have worked the specified number of hours and performed the duties specified in their bonds the example of W. H. Bancroft, vice president of the Salt Lake road, is respectfully referred.

When Mr. Bancroft was a younger man he acted as agent at a way station in a deserted part of the west. One day the president of the road happened to stop and noticed, to his surprise, that instead of the usual bare surroundings the small shack was literally set in a bower of roses. He went inside, took a look at Bancroft, got his name and put him down for promotion.

"A man who will take such care of company property would be a good man in a higher place," he said as the train pulled out. And Mr. Bancroft has been going higher ever since.

There are a good many ways of planting roses about our everyday work. Anyway, it's an experiment worth the trying.—New York American.

Family Baseball.

Charley Smith, father of Ben Smith, partner of Hugh Jennings on the vaudeville stage, practically introduced semi-professional baseball into Newark, N. J. Charley Smith caught for a semi-professional team, while Ben played right field. This is one of the few cases where a father and son played on the same outfit. There are only two other instances we can recall. One is when Jim O'Rourke, the old Giant, played with his son on the Bridgeport team in the Connecticut league. The other is when the father of Kid Carsey, the old Philadelphia and St. Louis pitcher, taught the Kid to pitch when he was a youngster pitching for semipro teams around New York and vicinity. Carsey senior was the Kid's catcher.

New Zealand Exposition.

Auckland is making vigorous preparation for an industrial, agricultural and mining exposition, to be opened on Dec. 1 next. Since the last exhibition was held, in 1899, the population of Auckland has doubled, and the city is today the metropolis of New Zealand and one of the most important ports in Australasia. Although the coming exposition is not advertised as "international," every attention will be given to exhibits coming from abroad. The United States has a total annual trade with New Zealand of about \$10,750,000. The value of its exports to this country for 1911 was \$8,200,029, which amount will be exceeded by the value of the exports for 1912.—Consular and Trade Reports.

Not Enough Goatskins.

The present demand for goat kid skins exceeds anything of the kind before known, and the remotest places in India, South America and Europe and everywhere else goats are kept are now visited by collectors to obtain them. This demand arises from the recent discovery of new methods of treating the skins, which not only make them a substitute for calf kid as shoe leather, but also render them suitable for us in dress trimming. When specially dyed and finished they find great favor with dressmakers and are used for vests, strappings, pipings, blouses and even for undershirts for country wear. They also play a part in recent millinery.—New York Tribune.

Coined "Home Rule."

In view of the passage of the home rule bill by the house of commons it is interesting to recall the beginning of that movement. According to Barry O'Brien, author of "The Life of Charles Stewart Parnell," it was at a meeting at the Bilton hotel, Dublin, in 1870 that the movement was launched, and it was Isaac Butt, counsel for the Fenian prisoners, who invented the phrase "home rule." He thought these words reasonable and innocent, while the old cry of "Repeal" would frighten the English.—New York Sun.

Japanese Students and Religion.

A religious census at the Imperial university in Tokyo has revealed the fact that more than 4,000 of the students frankly declared themselves either atheists or agnostics. Only eight desired to record their allegiance to Shinto. Fifty were Buddhists, and sixty were Christians.

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Pleasant Hill, N. C.—"I suffered for three summers," writes Mrs. Walter Vincent, of this town, "and the third and last time, was my worst."

I had dreadful nervous headaches and prostration, and was scarcely able to walk about. Could not do any of my housework.

I also had dreadful pains in my back and sides and when one of those weak, sinking spells would come on me, I would have to give up and lie down, until it wore off.

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Medina County Taxable Values.

The assessment rolls for 1913, for Medina county, show the following totals: Land \$20,348 acres valued at \$5,024,100; Town lots valued at \$954,765; 8087 horses, \$431,300; 23,574 cattle, \$392,045; 66 Jacks, \$10,385; 1643 sheep, \$3340; 4535 goats, \$8940; 872 hogs, \$2780; 27 dogs, \$820; 1358 vehicles, \$150,430; merchandise, \$138,030; Money, \$48,100; Notes, \$622,265; Banks, \$58,000; money, miscellaneous \$85,005. Railroads, telegraph and telephones \$1,819,106; Banks, \$203,200; Medina Valley Irrigation Company, dams, canals, personal property, \$1,044,695; Grand Totals \$11,261,656; Increase over 1912, \$1,344,950; for 1912, \$9,916,706; for 1911, \$9,533,452; Total Polls assessed 1303; County Taxes General 12c; Road 12c; Bridge 3c; Total 27c, same as 1912. The state tax rate is 45 cents on the hundred dollars, as follows: 23c ad valorem, 17c school and 5c Confederate pension. Hondo Ind. School Dist., Total rolls, \$1,343,910; taxes \$4,972.74 Devine Ind. School Dist. \$927,007.

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Ma's Way.

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Finally.

Mrs. Wayupp—"So they have just had their first quarrel?" Mrs. Blase—"Yes. After fifteen years of married life they have just discovered that they belong to opposite churches."—Life.

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Rare One, Too.

To be able to say nothing when it is best to keep still is a gift.

PRACTICAL BAKING LESSONS

PAPER BAG COOKERY



Cooking in Paper Bags, for meats, vegetables and pastries is becoming so popular that recipes for this method are greatly in demand. Many articles are greatly improved by using paper bags. One can buy the especially prepared bags at all grocers in assorted sizes at a very small cost. Below I will give you a few recipes which I have found are much finer in the bags than baked in the open oven.

Nevada Briggs

Apple Dumplings

2 cups sifted pastry flour 1/2 teaspoonful salt
2 level teaspoonfuls K C Baking Powder
About 1/4 to 1 cup milk 1/2 cup shortening
Cinnamon or nutmeg Sugar
Sift together, three times, the flour, baking powder and salt; work in the shortening and mix to a dough with milk as needed. Roll into a square sheet one-third inch thick and cut into four pieces. Lay a core and pared apple on each piece, fill the center with sugar and cinnamon, then draw up the dough to cover the apple; make smooth and place in a well-buttered paper bag, giving plenty of space in the bag for the dumplings to rise. In using the bags, oil the entire inner surface, have the seam side up and pin mouth of the bag securely. Place the bag on a shallow pan. Have a slow oven when the bag is placed in the oven and increase heat later. I find the most frequent mistake in using bags is to have the oven too hot. It takes much less heat to bake in a paper bag than in the open oven. To determine when the apple dumpling is baked, make a small hole in the top of the bag and test with a fork. You will find apple dumplings baked in bags are delicious, the pastry being very light and soft. So often apple dumplings baked in the old way in the open oven have a very hard crust. Serve dumplings with cream or Hard Sauce.

Hard Sauce

Beat half a cup of butter to a cream, gradually beat in one cup of sugar and press into a dome shape on a glass or china plate. Grate a little nutmeg over the top.

Beef Roll in Paper Bags

2 cups flour 1 teaspoonful salt
1/2 cup shortening Sweet and milk, having
2 beaten eggs Grating of onion
3 level teaspoonfuls K C Baking Powder
1 cup each, chopped cooked beef and ham
1 teaspoonful mixed mustard
1/2 teaspoonful each, salt and pepper
Broth or water
Mix a biscuit dough of the flour, salt, baking powder, shortening and milk, and roll into a sheet half an inch thick, having the ends even. Mix the other ingredients by themselves, using liquid as needed to make a paste. Spread the paste over the dough and roll like a jelly roll.
Other cooked meats may be used in the same way. Often we have several different kinds of cold meats left with not enough of any one kind for a particular purpose. One can use these several kinds putting them through the food chopper, using two cups of this chopped meat, seasoning as desired. For baking in the paper bag prepare the bag as for apple dumplings and bake by same rules. Serve with a brown gravy.

Brown Gravy

2 tablespoonfuls of butter, 1/2 teaspoonful of beef extract; brown this with one tablespoonful of flour, add 1 1/4 cups of cold water and pepper to taste and cook ten minutes. 2 tablespoonfuls of beef frying may be used instead of the butter for gravy. Add cold water to avoid lumps.

Left Over Sausages

2 cups sifted flour 1/2 teaspoonful salt
Milk or water 2 level teaspoonfuls K C Baking Powder
2 to 4 tablespoonfuls shortening
Sift together, three times, the flour, baking powder and salt; work in the shortening and add milk or water to make a dough. Roll into a thin sheet, cut in squares or rounds according to shape of sausage. Lay the sausage on the top of dough, brush the edges with cold water and fold to cover sausage. Place in a paper bag the same as apple dumplings. Serve hot with gravy made by brown flour in sausage frying instead of butter. Beef fryings as in brown gravy.

General Rules for Paper Bag Baking

1. Use only bags especially made for cooking.
2. Always grease the entire inside surface of the bag for meats and pastries.
3. Lay bag on the pan seam side up.
4. Always pin the mouth of the bag securely.
5. In a gas oven place the bag on grate of the broiler pan, placing the broiler pan in the upper oven.
6. Above all don't have a hot oven. It burns the bag and makes it brittle and easily broken. Have a slow even heat for bag cooking. Remember food cooked in bags will cook more quickly and with less heat.
7. All kinds of meat, fish and fowl are excellent cooked in bags, all the natural flavor and juices being retained. For the meat, fish or fowl in the well oiled bag, using the oven directions above. Allow 15 minutes to each pound.
8. For all kinds of pastry, I recommend the use of K C Baking Powder, especially where slow baking is required. K C is really a blend of two baking powders, one of which acts as soon as the heat is added; the other is inactive until a sustained heat until the dough is thoroughly cooked, insuring light, fine textured biscuits, pastry and cakes and eliminating all danger of falling.

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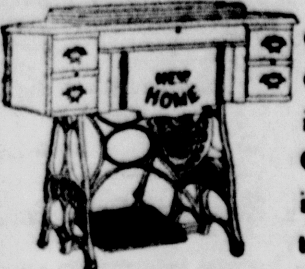
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This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville,

ED H. HUEHNER, Editor

who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

H. B. Taylor, our popular Tax Assessor, and son, Oscar, were Castroville visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tragger and children of Laredo, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graeschel and daughter of San Antonio, and many others spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tschirhart Sr. of Chicon. A fine dinner was partaken of and very much enjoyed. In the afternoon, Ice Cream was served.

Carpenter Louis Fuos, and assistant, Sam Etter, began erecting a new residence for Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Koening of Chicon the first part of the week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bippert of Lower Medina on Monday, Sept. 22, a son, and heir.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer and daughter, Miss Florence, and Mrs. J. A. Robinson, were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Capt. L. W. Burell left Wednesday morning on a several days business trip to Laredo and other points, via San Antonio.

Judge Peter Hoog, Frank Tondre Sr., Emil Kreisle and A. L. Grimsinger, left Wednesday on a fishing trip up the River.

Mrs. F. Kilhorn Sr. and daughters visited kinfolds and friends at Hondo Wednesday.

H. Moede, representing the San Antonio City Brewery, was out Wednesday.

More Than Enough is Too Much.

To maintain health, a poor man or woman needs just enough food to repair the waste and supply energy and body heat. The habitual consumption of more food than is necessary for these purposes is the prime cause of stomach troubles, rheumatism and disorders of the kidneys. If troubled with indigestion, revise your diet, let reason and not appetite control and take a few doses of Chamberlain's Tablets and you will soon be all right again. For sale by W. H. Windrow.

Knew Value of Incense.

Doubtless a form of incense was burned in China and in what is now India many centuries before Christ, probably even before the time of Moses and Aaron. It may be that the wise men of those ancient days had learned through long years of experience that there was less illness when quantities of incense was burned than when none was used. Whether they believed this was because of some Divine token of approval, or really understood the disinfective qualities of the incense is not known.

Chronic Dyspepsia.

The following unsolicited testimonial should certainly be sufficient to give hope and courage to persons afflicted with chronic dyspepsia: "I have been a chronic dyspeptic for years, and of all the medicine I have taken, Chamberlain's Tablets have done me more good than anything else," says W. G. Mattison, No. 7 Sherman St., Hornellsville, N. Y. For sale by W. H. Windrow.

Off Guard.

Mean people are always very much surprised and absurdly hurt when caught at one of their own games.

nesday, setting 'em up to the boys.

Gus Brieden of Devine neighborhood came in the middle of the week, and mingled with his many friends until Friday.

Alex. E. Tondre left Thursday for San Antonio on business bound.

Louis N. FitzSimon, Aug. Etter and son, Fritz J., were business visitors to San Antonio the middle of the week. Result: Mr. Etter is now possessor of an up to date Avery Truck.

Messrs. Hy. Vondie, Wm. Rihn, Jesse Parson and A. F. Haller went to Hondo Friday to take in the Races.

Nic. L. Tschirhart returned Friday from a business trip to Montel and Barksdale.

R. J. Noonan, our popular County Attorney, was here on legal business Saturday.

A large number of our denizens went to San Antonio Saturday to take in Ringling Bros. Circus.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vondie were visitors to the Big Dam Sunday.

Messrs. J. J. Bendele, Peter Groff and sons, Aug. Groff, Lawrence Rihn and Albert Hoog left this (Monday) morning for Nueces to gather Pecans.

Mrs. Aug. H. Weynand and children moved to San Antonio to join their husband and father. We are sorry to see them move away but know that Castroville's loss will be San Antonio's gain. Success to them.

Castroville, Sept. 29, 1913.

A Marvelous Escape.

"My little boy had a marvelous escape," writes P. F. Bastians of Prince Albert, Cape of Good Hope. "It occurred in the middle of the night. He got a very severe attack of croup. As luck would have it, I had a large bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house. After following the directions for an hour and twenty minutes he was through all danger." Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Roman Method of Heating.

Like many other Roman houses that have been unearthed in England, one recently brought to light was heated by a system called "hypocaust." The entire basement was one big furnace from which flues ascended, built into the walls. A wood fire was kept in the basement, the fuel being fed in from an outside annex, through an arch in the wall.

Arrested.

Further arrests are being made daily—not of persons, but of pain. Its Hunt's Lightning Oil that so many people are talking about because it arrests and stops pain, and affords almost instant relief in cases of Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Headache, Burns, etc. Just try it if you want pain to quit quick.

Led Astray.

Judge (sternly)—"To what do you attribute your downfall?" Culpit—"The first drink I ever took was one you bought me when you were trying to get my vote."—Puck.

They Make You Feel Good.

The pleasant purgative effect produced by Chamberlain's Tablets are the healthy condition of body and mind which they create make one feel joyful. For sale by W. H. Windrow.

Noonan Notes.

Mr. McAlister visited Pearson Monday.

Mr. Ed. Balmos, Mr. E. A. Perron, and Mr. Dem Ketchum of Devine made a flying trip to Castroville Sunday.

Mrs. George Farris and Mrs. Boehle of Quilhi visited Mr. and Mrs. Nick Tschirhart of Noonan.

Master Anton Tschirhart is quite ill. Mr. Archie Farris, Ed. Pierce and Mack Luckie attended the grand dance at Castroville Thursday and reported a most enjoyable time.

Mr. Clarence Luckie left for San Antonio where he has accepted a position.

Mr. George Farris visited Noonan Wednesday.

Mr. Frank Lowe and Mr. Woodson Green visited Lytle Thursday.

Mr. Otto Koening visited Natalia Thursday.

The School has opened at Natalia with a large attendance.

Mrs. Henry Kempf and Mrs. John Kempf visited Mrs. Mary Fox and family Friday.

Mr. George Farris visited Lacoste Friday.

Misses Hazel and Frankie Farris visited Lytle Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kempf and son, Joe, visited Mrs. Mary Fox Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kempf and Misses Lizzie and Alvina Kempf visited Mr. and Mrs. Kirby at Atascosa Sunday.

Mrs. Bippert and son, Mr. Arthur Bippert, of Chicon, visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kempf Sunday.

Mr. Archie Farris visited Mr. Woodson and Harve Green at Devine Sunday and was accompanied back by Mr. Harve Green.

Mrs. Jim Heath visited her cousins, the Misses Koehler, and was accompanied home by Misses Martha and Rosa Koehler. The Misses Koehler will spend a month with their kinfolds and friends at Noonan. Sept. 25, 1913.

Fourth Class Postmaster Examination.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1913.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on the date named above an examination will be held at Lacoste, Texas, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth class postmaster at Lacoste, Texas, and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill the vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$635.00 for the last fiscal year.

Age limit, 21 years and over on the date of the examination, with the exception that in a State where women are declared by statute to be of full age for all purposes at 18 years, women 18 years of age on the date of the examination will be admitted. Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the post office for which the examination is announced. The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.

Application forms and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from the postmaster at Lacoste, or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington within 7 days before the date of the examination, otherwise it may be impracticable to examine the applicants.

U. S. CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Children that are pale, sickly and peevish, with dark rings under the eyes, fickle appetite, and who appear to get no nourishment from the food they eat are surely suffering from worms. Give them WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE and note the wonderful improvement. They soon take on flesh and are rosy, active and cheerful. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Not an Effective Branch.

The learned counsel was endeavoring to impress the court with the fact that his client had always been anxious to settle. "My lord," he said, impressively, "only eighteen months ago we held out the olive branch." "Yes," responded the witty judge "but there were no olives on it."

Chronic rheumatism contracts the muscles, distorts the joints and undermines the strength. A powerful penetrating and relieving remedy will be found in BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It restores strength and suppleness to the aching limbs. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Success and Failure.

It is sometimes hard to find out just how the man who is successful has managed to succeed, but it is always easy to see why failure comes to those who fail.—Chicago Record Herald.

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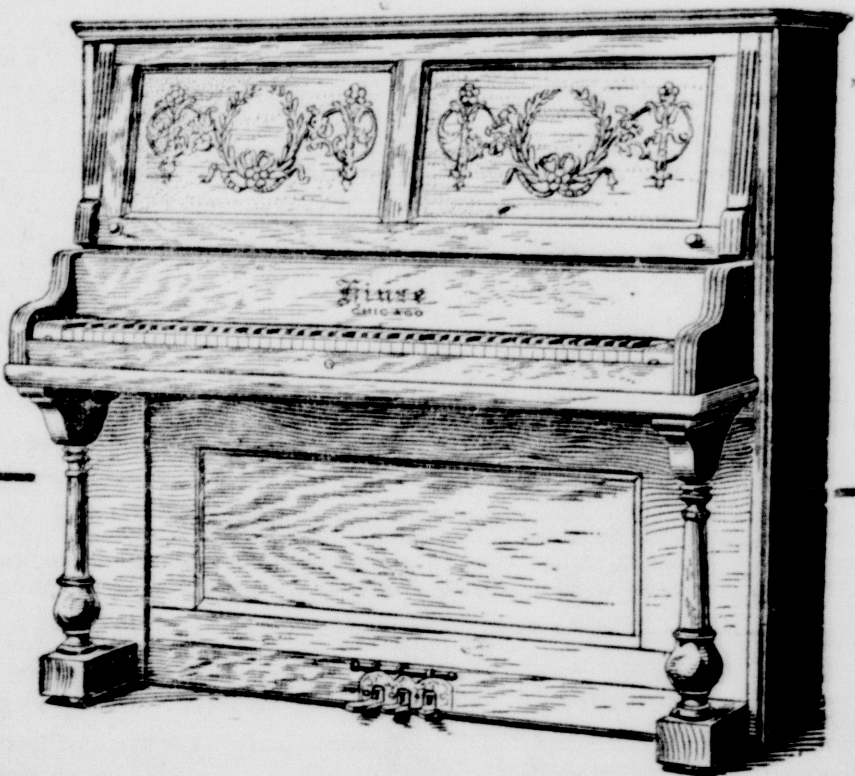
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New Afternoon Costume.

Illustrated here is one of the advanced models which the shops are showing.



LACE AND CHARMER GOWN.

ing for afternoon wear. The gown is of lace over white charmeuse, with satin flowers at the waist and a sash of black velvet ribbon.

Graceful Sashes.

There are many kinds of sashes. The wattle sash is attached to the shoulders and hangs straight to within six or eight inches of the hem, where it is looped up. The prelate sash encircles the waist, and one end is thrown over "stock" fashion to hang straight. There are broad sashes suggesting the Japanese obi. Other sashes have a flat pump bow or buckle to clasp them in the back.

Smart Coats.

Side by side with the smart Russian blouse which is so becoming to the slim, tall figure are the extremely short cutaway coat and the short bolero frocked, habit basqued Louis XV. coat.

Long coats have slim, straight lines, with their fronts rounded off and broad shawl collars.

LIGHT AND FLEXIBLE SPRING HATS.

Made of Such Materials as Chip and Japanese Straw.

Japanese straw forms many of the modish hats this spring and, owing to its lightness of weight and flexible texture, bids fair to crowd some of the other straws into the background.

White chip shapes, velvet trimmed, are numerous and often very attractive. They are fashioned with close, upturned brims and round crowns. One French milliner has used these shapes with no trimming save artistic knots and upstanding loops of velvet ribbon.

A turban of white chip had the edge of the rolled brim trimmed with black velvet about three-quarters of an inch in width, while at the right side front it was ornamented with a knot and high standing wired loops of the velvet to give the proper height.

Included in the same display was the smartest of little French hats in white chip on turban lines, with the rolled brim faced with black velvet. Directly in front was placed the new dagger ornament of jet.

The same milliner also showed a hat of chip much on the line of the roll with French sailor, with brim rolling slightly upward, but much longer at the back than at the front sides.

There was no trimming save little bunches of tiny roses, set closely together all around the low round crown. No two bunches were the same color, but they covered the range of all the delicate tints, melting into each other without a single jarring note. This model was simple enough so far as line was concerned, but an infallible color sense was needed for the successful shading of the floral trimming.

Another hat, narrower of brim and more aggressive, was of chip. It was built much on the order of the English walking hat, but the outline was softened by a dull blue ostrich feather which encircled the crown. One large feather was poised directly at the front of the crown.

Touches of cerise appear in the spring millinery, and in some cases the entire hat is made of cerise. A jaunty, small shape had a full crown of cerise tulle, and a large bow of cerise tulle trimmed the back of the hat. The turned up brim was of cerise straw.

Fashionable Colors.

The popular colors are named from vegetables--artichoke, radish pink, lettuce green, potato brown, eggplant purple, tomato red and carrot yellow are very much in favor.

Some of the most charming costumes are fashioned by combining dark blue with white or silver and adding a touch by pipings of cerise, orange or canary.

ROAD BUILDING.

Demonstration Work and Machinery on Exhibition at the Dallas Fair.

Building a public highway is the most important human event of this age and intelligent construction of roads the greatest triumph in modern science. It is authoritatively estimated that sixty cents of every dollar spent on public highways is wasted through faulty construction or in unwise methods of maintenance.

The exhibits of road machinery and model roads will be a public highway institute that every person who visits the State Fair of Texas at Dallas should attend.

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There are many important lessons that can be learned from the good roads exhibit at the State Fair of Texas at Dallas, Oct. 18 to Nov. 2.

Applied Christianity.

Because he had been a naughty little boy--a very naughty little boy--he was sent to bed without any pudding. But in the evening, when his brothers and sisters all were fast asleep, he crept downstairs, a fearful little white robed figure, and, going into the library, said to his mother:

"Mummy, you told me never to go to sleep till I'd made peace with my enemies, so I've come down to forgive you and daddy for being so rude to me at dinner tonight."--Tit-Bits.

The Comeback.

A little boy, seeing a gentleman in the street, placed himself in a convenient place to speak with him. When the gentleman came up the boy pulled off his hat, held it out to the gentleman and begged for a few cents. "Money," said the gentleman. "You had better ask for manners than money."

"I asked," said the boy, "for what I thought you had the most of."--Life.

And Then the Deluge.

A young Canadian went to London last winter and was making a call upon a very pretty young woman whom he had met there for the first time.

"Do you have reinder in Canada?" asked the young lady.

"No, darling," he answered. "At this season it always snows."--Answers.

Her Mind Made Up.

"A horse trainer," says a racing man, "should be prepared to meet every contingency and every emergency. He should be like the young lady who said, 'I don't intend to be married till I'm over twenty-three, and I don't intend, either, to be over twenty-three till I'm married.'--Exchange.

Every Moment Counted.

Elitha Root was cross examining a young woman in court one day. "How old are you?" he asked. The young woman hesitated. "Don't hesitate," said Mr. Root. "The longer you hesitate the older you are."--Ladies' Home Journal.

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